

LOCAL AND PERSONAL NOTES

Dr. Wright, of Wauchula, spent Monday here.

Call and inspect my line of Shoes. Perry C. Brown.

Dishong Bros. are agents for the celebrated Wilson & Toomer fertilizers. If visit the State Fair and buy a buggy from Hobbs & Knight.

Col. E. B. Carlton, of Wauchula, was in town Wednesday.

Miss Mollie Mizell, of Fort Ogden, was a visitor to the city last Saturday.

Anything you want in skirts and jackets at cost at Carlton's.

The County School Board met in regular monthly session this week.

Trunks and suit cases at Carlton's, at lowest prices.

U. S. Ki Ki Hunting Suits. See them today. Perry C. Brown.

R. L. Holzendorf, of Holzendorf, was a business visitor here Monday.

Hobbs & Knight are headquarters for buggies and harness, Tampa, Fla.

Mark Goldsmith, of Fort Myers, spent Sunday with relatives and friends in town.

Sweet-Orr overalls at Carlton's.

Dr. and Mrs. S. D. Smoke, Ft. Ogden, were among the out-of-town visitors here last Saturday.

See that handsome line of sterling silverware at the Arcadia Mercantile Company.

Buy the best fertilizers. Sold by Dishong Bros., agents for Wilson & Toomer.

W. E. Griffin, editor of the Banner of Liberty at Jasper, is spending a few days in town.

The Arcadia Music House is the place to get the "Standard" sewing machines. Cash or installment plan.

The reading room has become a popular resort, and the attendance proves that it was much needed.

A full and complete line of Star Shirts (coat style). Perry C. Brown.

Mrs. Anna L. Gates returned Monday from Forsyth, Ga., where she had spent the summer.

Hamp Jones, of Starke, State inspector of fertilizers and feed stuffs, spent Thursday in the city.

The Arcadia Mercantile Company carries a complete line of up-to-date dry goods.

Get a good Kimball Piano from Judge Lawton for your wife, sweetheart or daughter.

The Board of County Commissioners were in session this week and a report of their proceedings will be published next week.

Wilson & Toomer famous fertilizers are sold by Dishong Bros.

Dr. R. L. Cline left Wednesday for Atlanta, Ga., and will be gone about ten days on professional business.

The Victor Talking Machines and records are "the best" and can be found at Arcadia Music House (F. Morques' Jewelry Store).

R. E. Whidden and children arrived from Atlanta Sunday. Mrs. Whidden will return in about two weeks.

52-inch \$1.50 broadcloth, all colors, going at \$1.00 at Carlton's.

A. O. Corbett, of Jasper, is a recent arrival in the city, and has taken the position of prescription clerk at the drug store of Jake Wey.

Quilts, comforts and blankets at reduced prices at Carlton's.

Mrs. Florida King left Sunday for Waycross, Ga., for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. J. E. T. Bowden.

My line of Men's furnishings will meet with your approval. Perry C. Brown.

Preaching at 11 a. m. Sunday, by Rev. Jas. P. DePass at the school house across the river from Arcadia, about three miles from the city.

American Prints, best made, ladies' skirts and jackets at cost at Carlton's.

The Ladies' Euchre Club met with Mrs. Effie Peters Wednesday afternoon, and next week will meet with Mrs. W. M. Platt.

Read the Arcadia Music House "ad" in this issue and see what we have to say about pianos. It may interest you.

The reunion of the Third Florida Brigade, U. C. V. will occur at Tampa Friday, Nov. 24. Many veterans of this section are preparing to attend.

We have the largest line of clothing in the city. Suits to fit any man or boy, large or small. Arcadia Mercantile Company.

The Owl Club meets tonight with Mrs. Ida Holcomb at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. King. This is the first meeting of the club this season.

In writing to your friends or loved ones, be sure to write on the latest and best paper, they will appreciate nice paper the same as a new letter.

Horton can supply you with the best papers at his book and stationery store.

Contract for F. C. Hall's is erecting a neat cottage for Mr. Hickman on the property facing the home of Claude L. Carlton. This property was recently purchased from J. J. Heard.

Major Brown has been quite ill for several days at the home of his son, Perry C. Brown.

The Arcadia Mercantile Co. is showing a beautiful assortment of genuine Japanese hand work in pillow tops, shirt waist, handkerchiefs, collars, etc.

A "wet or dry" campaign has opened in Ocala county, and there is strong sentiment in Kioe closing of saloons.

Bradentown Herald: Mrs. J. H. Broberg and baby, Thelma, took the train on Sunday morning for Arcadia where she will join her husband who is in the employ of L. L. Morgan of that growing town.

Don't risk buying as expensive an instrument as a piano from a stranger. A stranger's guarantee may not be worth face value. T. J. Lawton's guarantee is good.

The best thing about my ready-to-wear suits is that they are ready-to-wear. My fall tailoring samples embrace the latest styles and colorings. Perry C. Brown.

Mrs. W. D. Turnley returned Tuesday morning from Ocala, where she attended the wedding of her sister, Miss Louella V. Gary.

When you need a good fertilizer go to Dishong Bros., agents for Wilson & Toomer.

Punta Gorda Herald: A. E. Pooser, Jr., who, up to Oct. 31st, was assistant Coast Line agent here, has been made relief agent and his family have moved to Lakeland.

When you think of dry goods think of the Arcadia Mercantile Co., they carry the largest and most complete line in this section of Florida.

Local mails are now handled on trains 39 and 40, beginning Wednesday, and it is an improvement and convenience greatly appreciated by all residents on the C. H. division.

For comfort and durability get a Kabo Corset for sale at Carlton's.

R. R. Reynolds, who has been foreman of the packing house of Heard & Reynolds for several years, left for New York Tuesday, and will be employed by the fruit firm of Mason M. Clark & Co.

We are not here to sell you goods below cost, at cost, nor are we always pretending to do impossibilities. We try to carry the best and most reliable merchandise, and you get the best values for your money. Arcadia Mercantile Company.

The "Little Mixers" still yell. The kicked dog always howls. BUT it is the Virginia-Carolina Chemical Co., Savannah, Ga., who manufacture DeSOTO BRAND fertilizers for THOS. GASKINS & SON, Arcadia, Fla. Watch the names. "Do not be deceived." We sell on six months time without interest: twelve months for four per cent.

There isn't anything that makes a child quite so happy as a pair of new shoes, and when M. F. Lanier sent twenty six pairs of new shoes to the orphanage, he, too, would have been happy, could he have seen the crowd of happy children.

It is a source of much satisfaction to know that you can get just what you want in fancy dress goods, jackets, skirts, shirt waists, fine clothing and furnishings; elegant shoes and stockings, nobby hats and caps at the right price from the Arcadia Mercantile Co.

Invitations are being issued for the Victor Dance at the Arcadia Opera House for Wednesday evening, Nov. 15th, 1905. The music for this dance will be furnished from the famous Victor Talking Machines with special dance records furnished by the Arcadia Music House. Dance begins at 8 p. m. Admission, men, 50c., ladies free. Tickets on sale at F. Morques' Jewelry Store.

Do Not Be Deceived.

\$8 per ton are \$8 made. We are the original makers of the DeSoto Brand Fertilizer and made them up to May of this year, and all the testimonials given T. Gaskins & Son, were of the goods manufactured by us, which now they say are "no good." It is strange that so many of our citizens were so badly fooled. Now they claim that they have changed their formulas and their manufacturers. Why? to get them cheaper and to make money out of the dear people.

We will deliver to your nearest station the original unadulterated DeSoto Brand at \$34. for the Fruit and Vine, \$32 for the Orange Tree and Vegetable, fully guaranteed.

Wilson & Toomer Fertilizer Co. Jacksonville, Fla.

With the largest, most up-to-date dry goods house in this part of Florida, ample capital to buy on strict cash basis, direct from the mills and manufacturers, buying the best that money can buy it should require no argument to convince you that the Arcadia Mercantile Co. is the place to do your shopping.

Board of Public Instruction.

The Board of Public Instruction met in regular session, all members present.

Minutes read and approved.

Petitions requesting special elections in the Gardner and Lily districts for the purpose of establishing special tax school districts. Having been duly published and presented were granted and elections ordered to be held Saturday, December 2nd, 1905.

Returns of special election held at Brownville, Nov. 4 1905, rejected and said election reordere Saturday, Dec. 2, 1905.

Application for State aid from Punta Gorda High School denied and approved.

A petition requesting a special election in the Arcadia district for the purpose of extending the boundaries of the Arcadia special tax school district having been duly published and presented was granted and election ordered Saturday, Dec. 2nd, 1905.

Applications made by the trustees of the Wauchula and Arcadia High Schools for assistants in the primary departments were received and trustees of each school respectively were authorized to secure such assistants.

Charles Altman was appointed supervisor of the Oak Creek school No. 24.

Treasurer's report received and approved.

Accounts audited and paid.

Board adjourned Wednesday Nov. 8th, 1905 to meet Tuesday, December 5th, 1905.

Old Hickory Wagons have high wheels, broad tires, light running. For sale by Hobbs & Knight, Tampa, Fla.

Circuit Court Convictions.

The following are the convictions and sentences passed by Judge Palmer at the recent term of Circuit Court:

Celia Simmons, manslaughter, 20 years in penitentiary.

A. J. Long, selling liquor, \$250 and costs or 6 months in jail.

Cornelius Millhouse, breaking and entering, penitentiary 3 years.

Sam Davis, breaking and entering, with intent to commit misdemeanor, penitentiary 3 years.

Kate Driggers, keeping house of ill fame, jail 12 months.

Allen Jackson, forgery, penitentiary 3 years.

Lucy Haines, assault with intent to commit manslaughter, \$50 and costs or 6 months.

Chas. Harris, assault with intent to commit manslaughter, penitentiary 5 years.

Wm. Graham, selling liquor, \$250 and costs or 6 months.

Walter Krell, selling liquor, \$100 and costs or 6 months.

Lou Hunter, selling liquor, 12 months.

Britt Keen, selling liquor, \$300 and costs or 6 months.

Jim Daniels, selling liquor, \$50 and costs or 6 months.

James Dixon, petit larceny, 6 months.

Wesley Hines, selling liquor, \$25 and costs or 4 months.

Wm. Newberry, selling liquor, \$250 and costs or 6 months.

Jas. Rish, selling liquor, \$100 and costs or 6 months.

Chas. Wright, burglary, penitentiary 3 years.

W. H. Woodard, selling liquor, \$450 and costs or 12 months.

Orlando Silex, selling liquor, \$500 and costs or 12 months.

Wm. Knowles, selling liquor, \$250 and costs or 6 months.

Dan Blount, selling liquor, \$300 and costs or 12 months.

Jas. Bond, selling liquor, \$500 and costs or 12 months.

Dorsey Blount, selling liquor, \$500 and costs or 12 months, sentence suspended during good behavior.

Dave Smith, selling liquor, imprisonment 12 months.

School Roll of Honor.

The following pupils have attained the required standard in scholarship, deportment and attendance, entitling them to a place on the roll of honor:

First Grade—Irene Edwards, Zula Waldron, Lucene Carlton, Bascom Thomas, John Johnson, Fred Powell, Harold Lewis, Joe Atkinson, Alger Smart.

Second—Bertie Gore, Ruth Youman, Bert Draughorn, Maudie Adkison.

Third—Beatrice McCanthan, Aline Forrester, Perdie Higginbotham, Radford Edwards, James Hollingworth, Ethel Jones, Angelina Nance.

Fourth—Frank Stonebraker, Alon Dowd, Kirby Smith, Alma Robertson, Samuel Lawton.

Fifth—Remer Armstrong, Mabel Armstrong, L. M. Gunn, Lillian Simmons, Gladys Bryan, Howard Singleton.

Sixth—Keith Robertson, Hilda Albritton.

Seventh—March Livingstone, Emily Smith.

Eighth—Kate Pierce, Grey Singleton, Ellen Armstrong.

Ninth—Fannie Watson, Louie Morgan.

Tenth—Ralph Carlton.

Miss Lily E. Burke.

Miss Lily E. Burke will give a recital at the Arcadia Music House on Thursday night, Nov. 16.

She is said to be an artist of ability and the evening's program will be one of interest.

General admission 35 and 25 cents, reserved seats 50 cents.

CHURCH NOTES.

First M. E. Church, South

Preaching Sunday, 11 a. m.; Sunday night, 7 p. m.; prayermeeting, Thursday night, 7 p. m.; Junior Epworth League, Sunday, 3 p. m.; Senior Epworth League, Sunday, 4 p. m.; Choir practice, every Friday night, 7 p. m.; Home Mission Society, 3 p. m.; Tuesday after first Sunday each month; Woman's Foreign Society, 3 p. m.; Tuesday after second Sunday each month. Public cordially invited to each of these services.

Jas. P. DePass, P. C.

Baptist Notes.

Last Sunday was a notable day. The weather was ideal. The children of the Orphanage acquitted themselves quite creditably in their scripture recitations and songs before the Bible school. The contribution of the school to the Orphanage was more than six dollars. The basket collection at the eleven o'clock church service was \$215.48 for foreign missions. Five candidates for baptism were approved. The pastor resigned to take effect Jan. 1st. All this happened during the morning service. At night the usual congregation attended the preaching service. The anthem at night was well rendered.

The five who joined us Sunday morning, together with the one who joined the Wednesday night before, expect to be baptised next Sunday afternoon.

The young peoples' meetings each Friday night is increasing in interest. Bro. Webb leads this week, and the subject is The Ten Commandments.

Mrs. Griffin, of Jasper, is on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gamage on East Oak Street.

Mrs. R. E. Whidden is yet in Atlanta, having successfully stood an operation for appendicitis. Mr. Whidden brought the children home a few days ago. Mrs. Whidden hopes to be able to return before Thanksgiving day.

Peace River Association meets in Arcadia Dec. 5. How many messengers will you take? Have you any choice as to persons? If so, whom do you want? If you will voluntarily answer these questions on a slip of paper, and hand same to pastor, it will expedite the work of the entertainment committee soon to be appointed.

Do you pray each morning for a "season of refreshing from the presence of the Lord?" We are looking forward to such a blessing next month. Let us all pray in faith to that end.

The Baptist associations all over North Carolina are speaking out in favor of a prohibition amendment to the State Constitution. When the State convention meets it will no doubt endorse the movement.

Hawes' Hats at Carlton's, greatest line on earth.

A Creeping Death.

Blood poison creeps up towards the heart, causing death. J. E. Stearns, Belle Plaine, Minn., writes that a friend dreadfully injured his hand, which swelled up like blood poisoning. Bucklen's Arnica Salve drew out the poison, healed the wound, and saved his life. Best in the world for burns and sores. 25c at Ed Greene's drug store.

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Men's camel's hair Undershirts or Drawers, assorted colors for.....	25c	Men's all wool Sweaters, fancy colors, \$2.00 kind, for.....	\$1.50
Ladies' heavy ribbed Vests or Pants, 40c values, for.....	25c	Ladies' all wool Sweaters, latest shades, \$2.50 kind,.....	\$2.00
Ladies' heavy ribbed union Suits for.....	50c	Ladies' all wool Sweaters, solid colors in black, blue, red and white, \$2.00 kind,.....	\$1.50
Boys' extra heavy fleece lined Shirts or Drawers, 40c val., for.....	25c	Men's half wool Sweaters, solid colors, \$1.50 values, for.....	98c
Children's ribbed Vests from up.....	10c	Men's cotton Sweaters, fancy colors, 75c values, for.....	48c
Boys' cotton Sweaters, fancy colors, 50c values, for.....	40c	Boys' all wool sweaters, fancy colors, \$1.35 values, for.....	90c
Little Boys' all wool Sweaters, fancy colors, \$1.00 values, for.....	65c		

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